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REMARKS

The Office Action objected to the listing of claims because of certain informalities.

The listing of claims has been amended as per the Examiner's helpful suggestion. Applicant(s) have amended the listing of claims to correct the minor informalities /noted by the Examiner.

Applicant(s) believe that all information and requirements for the application have been provided to the USPTO. If there are matters that can be discussed by telephone to further the prosecution of the Application, Applicant(s) invite the Examiner to call the undersigned attorney at the Examiner's convenience.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees due with this Response to U.S. PTO Account No. 17-0055.

Respectfully submitted,

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